

Initial Certification For 911 Grant Applicants – States

(To be submitted as part of the initial application)

I. On behalf of [*State/Territory*], I, [*print name*], hereby certify that:

(check **only one** box below)

- ☐ [*State or Territory*] has established by law or regulation [*name of 911 office/coordinator*] with the authority to manage 911 services in the State, and I am its representative. See [*citation to State law or rule*]. [*Name of 911 office/coordinator*] will serve as the designated 911 Coordinator.
- ☐ [*State or Territory*] does not have an office or coordinator with the authority to manage 911 services, and the Governor of [*State or Territory*] has designated

(check **only one** circle below)

- ☐ me as the State's single officer to serve as the 911 Coordinator of 911 services implementation; or
- ☐ [*governmental body*] as the State's single governmental body, to serve as the 911 Coordinator of 911 services implementation, and I am its representative.

(check **all** boxes below)

- ☐ The State has coordinated the application with local governments, Tribal Organizations and PSAPs within the State.
- ☐ The State has established a State 911 Plan, consistent with the implementing regulations, for the coordination and implementation of 911 services, E-911 services, and Next Generation 911 services.
- ☐ The State will ensure that at least 90 percent of the grant funds are used for the direct benefit of PSAPs.
- ☐ The State has integrated telecommunications services involved in the implementation and delivery of 911 services, E-911 services, and Next Generation 911 services.

II. I further certify that the State has not diverted and will not divert any portion of designated 911 charges imposed by the State for any purpose other than the purposes for which such charges are designated or presented from the time period 180 days preceding the date of the application and continuing through the time period during which grant funds are available.

I further certify that no taxing jurisdiction in the State that will receive 911 grant funds has diverted any portion of the designated 911 charges for any purpose other than the purposes for which such charges are designated or presented from the time period 180 days preceding the date of the application.